

Interview Summary	Application No. 09/323,206	Applicant(s) Bandy et al
	Examiner James W. Myhre	Art Unit 3622

All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

(1) James W. Myhre

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(2) Robert Sokohl

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Date of Interview May 29, 2002

Type: a) Telephonic b) Video Conference
c) Personal [copy is given to 1) applicant 2) applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) Yes e) No. If yes, brief description:

Claim(s) discussed: 76-108

Identification of prior art discussed:

None

Agreement with respect to the claims f) was reached. g) was not reached. h) N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments:

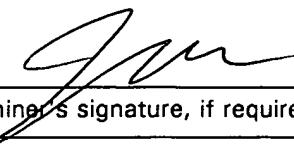
The Examiner notified the Applicant Representative of a three-way restriction of the pending claims in the case. Claims 76-91 disclose a process for manufacturing an electronic tag. Claims 92-104 and 106-108 disclose a method for resolving contention between electronic tags within an inventory system. Claim 105 discloses a surveillance system with an alarm, i.e. theft control.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

i) It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview (if box is checked).

Unless the paragraph above has been checked, THE FORMAL WRITTEN REPLY TO THE LAST OFFICE ACTION MUST INCLUDE THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. (See MPEP section 713.04). If a reply to the last Office action has already been filed, APPLICANT IS GIVEN ONE MONTH FROM THIS INTERVIEW DATE TO FILE A STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. See Summary of Record of Interview requirements on reverse side or on attached

Examiner Note: You must sign this form unless it is an Attachment to a signed Office action.


Examiner's signature, if required